62186 to 62229—Continued.

62211. No. 1016. Chouchiahsiang, Chihli. October 21, 1924. A winter wheat growing in a broad flat valley.

62212 and 62213. VICIA FABA L. Fabaceæ. Broad bean,

Peking. Beans known here as *Tsan* tou (silkworm bean). These are roasted and are also cooked and used as a vegetable.

62212. No. 783. October 15, 1924. A large, broad, brownish green variety.

62213. No. 1031. October 22, 1924. A pinkish buff variety.

62214. VIGNA SESQUIPEDALIS (L.) Fruwirth, Fabaceæ. Yard Long bean.

No. 802. Between Nankou and Lunghutai. October 7, 1924. The base of this bean is terra-cotta colored and is blotched or streaked with a deeper shade of red.

62215 to 62224. VIGNA SINENSIS (Torner) Savi. Fabaceæ. Cowpea.

62215. 803. Between Nankou and Lunghutai. October 7, 1924. A cowpea with a pinkish or purple eye, growing in a very dry situation.

62216. No. 809. Tailungyuan. October 7, 1924. A pink or brown eyed cowpea.

62217. No. 855. Yung Lo tomb, Changling, Chihli. October 9, 1924. A pink cowpea.

62218. No. 932. Fa Hua Ssu temple, near Haitzu, Chihli. October 11, 1924. A cowpea mottled brown and white.

62219. No. 934. Fa Hua Ssu temple, near Haitzu, Chihli. October 11, 1924. A pink or brown eyed cowpea.

62220. No. 965. Tangshan (Hot Springs). October 12, 1924. This brown-eyed cowpea is one of the leading types grown on this sandy loam river-bottom soil.

62221. No. 968. Tangshan (Hot Springs). October 12, 1924. Cowpea mottled pink and white.

62222. No. 1017. Chouchiahsiang, Chihli. October 21, 1924. A browneyed cowpea.

62186 to 62229—Continued.

62223. No. 1018. Chouchiahsiang, Chihli. October 21, 1924. A pink cow-

6224. No. 1045. Peking. October 25, 1924. A mottled reddish brown and creamy yellow cowpea purchased in the market and reported to have come from the region south of Peking.

62225. ZANTHOXYLUM sp. Rutaceæ. Prickly ash.

No. 903. Yung Lo [Ming] tomb. Changling, Chihli. October 10, 1924. This plant is fully as broad as it is high, and the dark-green leaves have a pleasant, spicy odor. It may prove to be a good ornamental and possibly a good hedge plant.

62226 and 62227. ZEA MAYS L. Poaceæ.

62226. No. 806. Lunghutai. October 7, 1924. Small ears of flint corn purchased in the temple. The keeper reported that this corn is harvested within 100 days after planting.

62227. No. 926. Fa Hua Ssu temple, near Haitzu, Chihli. October 11, 1924. Yellow flint corn grown here on the mountain.

62228. Ziziphus Jujuba Mill. (Z. sativa Gaertn.). Rhamnaceæ. Jujube.

No. 758. Peking. October 1, 1924. These fruits, obtained in the market, are quite acid and of good quality.

62229. Grewia Parviflora Bunge.

No. 829. Nung Lo tomb, near Changling, Chihli. October 9, 1924. Collected from a small shrub which resembled a Celtis.

62230. RHAMNUS DAVURICA Pall. Rhamnaceæ. Dahurian buckthorn.

From China. Seeds collected by P. H. Dorsett, agricultural explorer, Bureau of Plant Industry. Received December 6, 1924.

No. 967. October 12, 1924. A shrub having rather small, deep-green leaves and numerous small, purple or black, one-seeded fruits; found at Neutang, a short distance from Tangshan (Hot Springs). (Dorsett.)